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In re the application of David Mack, et al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2004, and is submitted on or before the due date of January 20, 2005. If any fees are required in order to maintain the pendency of the instant application, the Examiner is expressly authorized to charge such to Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing Attorney Docket No. 05882.0143.CPUS04.

The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments and consider the application.

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